

Commonwealth of Hirginia

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The Honorable Peter L. Trible Chief Judge County of King George General District Court P. O. Box 176 Hanover, VA 23069-0176

The Honorable Ann Hunter Simpson Magistrate Supervising Authority Fifteenth Judicial District P. O. Box 96 Spotsylvania, VA 22553-0096 The Honorable J. Maston Davis Chief Judge County of King George Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court P. O. Box 1000 Warsaw, VA 22572

As part of our audit of the Virginia District Court System, we have audited the cash receipts and disbursements of the County of King George Combined District Court and the associated magistrates from the Fifteenth Judicial District for the period October 1, 2004 through September 30, 2005.

Our primary objectives were to test the accuracy of financial transactions recorded on the Court's financial management system and in the Magistrates' records; evaluate the Court's and the Magistrates' internal controls; and test compliance with significant state laws, regulations, and policies. However, our audit was more limited than would be necessary to provide assurance on the internal controls or on overall compliance with applicable laws, regulations, and policies.

The results of our tests found the Court and the Magistrates properly stated, in all material respects, the amounts recorded and reported in the financial management system and in the Magistrates' records; no material weaknesses in the internal controls; and no instances of noncompliance with applicable laws, regulations, and policies.

We acknowledge the cooperation extended to us by the Court and the Magistrates during this engagement.

AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

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